

Hurricane Sandy | New Jersey's experience

Video | Storming for the Vote, Hurricane Sandy and the Election

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Viewing guide

Since hurricane Sandy, there has been a national, state and local increase in awareness for emergency preparedness in elections administration. Washington State has not been the exception.

In the last year, we have been working together in order to have in place a plan, be prepared in case of any emergency and be there for the people we serve. As we all know, resiliency is just good government.

Even though New Jersey voters vote in a poll site, we can learn from their experience and use this opportunity to dialogue on the issues and vulnerabilities we might face in a vote by mail environment.

After viewing the video, we will take some time to discuss the questions below. You may find it helpful to jot down notes while the information is fresh in your mind.

Grab your popcorn and let's start the show!

Let's chat about our first impressions

- What surprised you the most?
- What would you have done differently?
- Did this video make you question some assumptions?

Let's not think of solutions, but focus on vote by mail vulnerabilities

- What are your concerns?
- What are our current vulnerabilities?
- What are we doing well? How do you feel prepared?

What have we learned?

- What are some take-aways?
- What should we do next?



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